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FOR THE YEAR ENDING

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Annual Reports

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Canterbury

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk,
School Board, Librarian, Library Trustees,
Tax Collector and Trustees of Trust Fund

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1934

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

J. RALPH GRAHAM

TOWN CLERK

LOUIS D. MORRILL

TAX COLLECTOR

SAM W. LAKE

TREASURER

CHARLES EMERY MORRILL

SELECTMEN

J. RALPH GRAHAM CHARLES GILMAN
DONALD T. BLANCHARD

AUDITORS

WILLIAM WHEELER FRED BRADFORD

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

ALVAH H. BLAKE CAMILLA HILDRETH
CECIL STEWART

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

JOHN S. WHEELER CAMILLA HILDRETH
RAYMOND GLINES

SCHOOL BOARD

AMY SCALES HERMAN R. COLBY

ROAD AGENT

H. CLIFFORD DAVIS

CONSTABLE

G. L. TALLMAN

HEALTH OFFICER

G. L. TALLMAN

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

ROBERT FRAME CECIL STEWART
IRVING COGSWELL CAMILLA HILDRETH
ERIC BASCOM

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Canterbury in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Canterbury on Tuesday, the 13th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see whether beer or other lawful alcoholic beverages shall be manufactured or sold locally.

4. To see if the town will accept State Aid Construction.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00, the State to pay the sum of $3,000.00 for special construction on the road from East Concord to Tilton in the Town of Canterbury.

6. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any Real Estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collector's deeds.

7. To see if the Town will vote to make it illegal and an offense punishable by a fine of not less than $25.00 to run a public dance in the Town of Canterbury without obtaining a permit from the Selectmen.

8. To see if the Town will vote to have two officers on duty at all public dances held in the Town of Canterbury. These officers to be appointed by and act under the direction of the Selectmen. The salaries of these officers shall be fixed by the Selectmen, who shall collect the said salaries from the person running the dance and pay the officers.

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following:

9. A By-Law to increase the duties of the Town Clerk. In addition to his statuatory duties the Town Clerk shall be clerk of the Selectmen and as such and under their direction shall keep their accounts, attend to the correspondence, prepare the annual report and the annual budget and such other clerical work as is usually performed by a City Clerk.

He shall call all meetings of the Selectmen at the request of the chairman and shall be in attendance thereat and keep in a book especially provided for the purpose a true record of the minutes of any such meeting, recording therein the names of members voting for or against any proposition acted upon at said meeting.

He shall establish office hours when he shall be on duty at the Town House for the transaction of Town business. He shall not be obliged to transact any such business at any other time or place.

In the last week of December and the first week of January he shall arrange his hours for business as shall best convenience the registration of motor vehicles.

For these additional duties he shall be paid a reasonable compensation, the same to be determined by vote of the Town or by the Selectmen.

10. By-Law. To require reports to be made by the Road Agent.

The Road Agent shall on the first of each month make to the Selectmen a written report of the extent, character

and cost of the work done by him during the preceeding month. He shall include in his report the cost per yard-mile of material moved by hired trucks and that moved by Town trucks; the number of days each Town truck was out of commission and the cause thereof.

He shall cause to be printed in the Annual Town Report a synopsis of these reports.

11. To see if the Town will vote to have all Candidates for Town Officers file their names with the Town Clerk for Annual March Elections.

12. To see what the Town will do for Fire Protection.

13. To see what the Town will do about purchasing a Tractor.

14. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 26th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-four.

J. R. GRAHAM,
CHARLES GILMAN,
DONALD T. BLANCHARD,
Selectmen of Canterbury.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

J. R. GRAHAM,
CHARLES GILMAN,
DONALD T. BLANCHARD,
Selectmen of Canterbury.

REVENUE BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1934 to February 1, 1935, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, February 1, 1933 to January 31, 1934.

Source of Revenue	Actual revenue previous year, 1933	Estimated revenue ensuing yr. 1934	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	$325.87	$325.87		
Insurance Tax	.04	.04		
Railroad Tax	178.68	178.68		
Savings Bank Tax	908.69	908.69		
Bills due Town from State	22.84	50.00	27.16	
Dynamite		26.35	26.35	
E. R. Unemployment		108.14	108.14	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Interest Received on Taxes	111.43	110.00		1.43
Cemetery grass	5.28			5.28
Town History	10.00			10.00
Dog Licenses	145.00	145.00		
Bounties	14.80	11.00		3.80
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	572.94	575.00	2.06	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:				
Poll taxes	492.00	500.00	8.00	
Bills Due Town:				
Joe Boisvert, dynamite		3.60	3.60	
E. Marston, dynamite		3.94	3.94	
H. Pickard, dynamite		2.56	2.56	
H. G. Clough, oiling driveway		15.00	15.00	
G. H. Giles, box boards	.25			.25
E. Boisvert, tractor oil	1.00			1.00
Town Truck Hire	200.36			200.36
Balance on 1932 E. R. U.	7.44			7.44
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	$2,966.62	$2,963.87	$196.81	$229.56
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes	12,884.65	14,547.87		
Total Revenues	$15,881.27	$17,511.74		

Purpose of Expenditures	Actual expenditures previous year, 1933	Estimated expenditures ensuing yr, 1934	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
General Govermnment:				
Town Officers' Salaries	$670.00	$925.00	$255.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	353.31	400.00	46.69	
Election and Registration Exp.	136.00	90.00		46.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	36.63	35.00		1.63
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	5.00	5.00		
Fire Department	156.55	150.00		6.55
Moth Extermination—Blister Rust, Damage by dogs	67.50	200.00	132.50	
Health:				
Health Dept. incl. hospitals	26.21	25.00		1.21
Vital Statistics	2.50	5.00	2.50	
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Maintenance	2,272.30	1,800.00		472.30
Street lighting	104.00	96.00		8.00
General Exp. Highway Dept.	3,062.71	2,000.00		1,062.71
Libraries				
Libraries	250.00	250.00		
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	250.30	200.00		50.30
Tramps	5.00			5.00
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	15.00	15.00		
Public Service Enteprises:				
Cemeteries	206.67	150.00		56.67
Interest:				
On Temporary Loans	65.00	65.00		
On Short Term Notes		2,000.00	2,000.00	
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
State Taxes	1,456.00	1,456.00		
County Taxes	1,337.51	1,337.51		
Payments to School Dist.	7,086.27	6,307.23		779.04
Total Expenditures	$17,564.46	$17,511.74	$2,436.69	$2,489.41

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Valuation of Taxable Property

Lands and buildings	$512,590.00
Electric Plants	39,400.00
68 Horses	3,760.00
1 Mule	25.00
4 Oxen	135.00
297 Cows	8,790.00
56 Neat Stock	1,040.00
203 Sheep	636.50
1 Hog	10.00
6782 Fowls	4,276.00
13 Fur bearing animals	285.00
1 Portable mill	600.00
Wood and Lumber	24,779.00
8 Gas tanks	600.00
Stock in Trade	2,000.00
	$593,826.50

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall	$2,500.00
Furniture and equipment	150.00
Library, land and building	8,000.00
Furniture and equipment	2,000.00
Schools, land and buildings	3,500.00
Furniture and equipment	1,000.00
Highway Department:	
Truck—1933	600.00
Truck—1934	1,000.00
3 Snowplows	700.00
Tractor	100.00
Road machines	300.00
Small tools	136.00
	$19,986.00

BALANCE SHEET

Assets.

Cash on hand	$1,183.85
Taxes not collected due the town:	
Collector Sam W. Lake, 1931 taxes	46.50
Collector Saw W. Lake, 1932 taxes	1,541.00
Collector Sam W. Lake, 1933 taxes	4,521.59
Collector H. G. Clough, 1930 taxes	79.92
Collector H. G. Clough, taxes 1929	39.25
Collector F. P. Cass, taxes 1927-1928	207.31
Bounties	11.00
Due from H. G. Clough, oiling drive	15.00
N. H. State, dynamite	26.35
E. R. Unemployment	108.14
Joe Boisvert, dynamite	3.60
E. Marston, dynamite	3.94
H. Picard	2.56
	$7,790.01

Liabilities

Balance due schools	$2,307.23
Notes National State Capital Bank	2,000.00
	$4,307.23

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1933	$4,057.47
Finley, Barnard, check 3541 returned	20.00
Giles, G. H., box boards	.25
Gilman, C., clerk:	
Auto permits	27.75
Dog licenses	4.00
Greenwood, Ernest, tractor oil	1.00
Harper, Philip S., town history	10.00
Hatch, Walter, cemetery grass	5.28
Lake, S. W., collector:	
Abatement	4.00
Balance bank statement	.03
Morrill, L. D., clerk:	
Auto permits	545.19
Dog licenses	141.00
National State Capital Bank, notes	2,000.00
State Forestry Dept., forestry fires	22.84
State Highway Dept.:	
Maintenance Class V highway, gas tax	1,476.90
State Aid Construction	1,320.60
Town trucks	200.36
Bal. Unemployed Relief Construction, 1932	7.44
Emergency Relief Unemployment	5,174.13
State Treasurer:	
Bounties	14.80
Insurance tax	.04
Interest and dividends tax	325.87
Railroad tax	178.68
Savings Bank tax	908.69
Taxes and Interest:	
Clough, H. G.	454.18
Conant, S. S.	30.00
Lake, S. W.	11,225.40
	$28,155.90

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government

Town Officers' Salaries

Blanchard, Donald, selectman	$140.00
Bradford, F. W., auditor	20.00
*Cass, Albi, ballot clerk	2.50
Gilman, Charles, selectman	140.00
*Glines, Raymond, supervisor	17.50
Graham, J. R., selectman	190.00
*Graham, J. R., moderator	15.00
Morrill, C. E., town treasurer	100.00
Morrill, Louis D., town clerk	60.00
Wheeler, W. W., auditor	20.00
	$705.00

* includes election expense, $35.00

Town Officers' Expenses

Bascom, E. W., winding clock	$32.25
Blanchard, Donald, suppers for election officers	.75
Blanchard, Donald, running town line	3.00
Bridge & Byron, printing town reports	96.00
Bridge & Byron, printing auditor's report	2.50
Canterbury & Loudon Tel. Co., telephone	12.85
Comstock, Louis L., stationery	4.75
Eastman E. C. Co., stationery and supplies	34.13
Giles, G. H., supplies	9.06
Giles, G. H., postage	20.15
Gilman, Charles, expenses as town clerk	3.81
Gilman, Charles, running town line	2.50
Jackman & Lang, bond	5.00
Kearsarge Telephone Co., telephone	3.85

Lake, S. W., postage	3.00
Lake, S. W., printed forms	6.09
Morrill, C. E., stationery	1.60
Morrill, L. D., fees and expenses	67.17
N. H. Assessors Ass'n, dues	2.00
Sherburne & Parker, bonds	17.00
Stewart, C. E., trust fund expenses	25.85
	$353.31

Election and Registration

Blanchard, Donald, ballot clerk	$7.50
Cass, Albi, ballot clerk	5.00
Glines, Raymond, supervisor	10.00
Hildreth, C. S., supervisor	30.00
Lamprey, H. N., ballot clerk	5.00
Ranney, W. B. Co., ballots	6.00
Tallman, G. L., ballot clerk	5.00
Tallman, W. C., ballot clerk	2.50
Wheeler, John S., supervisor	30.00
	$101.00

$35.00 expense included in Town Officers' Salaries

Town Hall Expenses

Concord Electric Co., lights	$15.56
Hirtle, S. A., repairs	1.39
Southwick, H. E., repairs	1.68
Tallman, G. L., fuel	18.00
	36.63

Protection of Persons and Property

Bounties

Bailey, Stanwood, hedgehogs	$ .80
Blanchard, Donald, hedgehogs	.20
Brown, Murray, hedgehogs	3.60
Cass, Albi, hedgehogs	3.20
Jones, Harold, hedgehogs	1.00
Morrill, L. D., hedgehogs	1.20
Patsfield, Harry	.20
Pickard, hedgehogs	.20
Rule, Elmer, hedgehogs	.60
	$11.00

Police Department

Tallman, G. L., services	$5.00

Fire Department

Belmont Fire Dept., services Finley fire	$35.00
Boscawen Fire Dept., services Maxson fire	25.00
Brown, Leon, services Thurston fire	3.88
Clough, H. S., warden expenses and payroll	34.45
Deos, H. W., services Boardman fire	2.00
Dolley, H. A., Tilton Fire Dept., services Morrill fire	20.00
Findley, Bernard, warden expenses	5.80
Morrill, L. D., warden expenses	5.42
Tilton Fire Dept., services Findley fire	25.00
	$156.55

Damage by Dogs

Blanchard, Donald, killing 3 dogs	$ 1.50
Finley, Bernard, sheep	20.00

Hirtle, Bertha A., sheep	6.00
Tallman, G. L., sheep	40.00
	$67.50

Health and Sanitation

Health Department

Fowler Drug Co., suppiles	$10.71
Tallman, G. L., health officer	15.50
	$26.21

Vital Statistics

Ballard, C. P., M. D.	$1.00
Rowe, A. J., M. D.	1.50
	$2.50

Highways and Bridges

Town Roads Maintenance

Bailey, Stanwood, labor	$3.89
Bartlett, Ralph, gravel	9.30
Blanchard, Donald, labor and team	6.61
Boardman, Fay, labor	27.50
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	1.72
Boutwell Lumber Co., supplies	7.68
Bradford, Mabel, trucking	22.22
Bradford, Fred, trucking	200.01
Briggs, George, labor	80.56
Cass, Albi, labor	267.75
Cass, James, labor and trucking	86.70
Chase, Fred, labor	2.78

Childs, Frank, labor	22.50
Clough, Joe, gravel	16.50
Colby, H. R., team	25.00
Concord Lumber Co., supplies	75.65
Cummings, J. E., labor and team	5.00
Davis, H. C., foreman	467.42
Deos, Henry, labor	124.28
Dory, Roy, labor	9.17
Doubleday, Joe, labor	33.06
Duquette, Earl, labor	39.17
Elfstrom, John, gravel	.50
Fergerson, H. A., labor	44.17
Fife, Clarence, labor	65.00
Fife, Leon, labor	2.50
Fife, Orvil, labor	54.31
Fife, Orvis, labor	14.72
Fife, P., labor	15.83
Finley, Bernard, trucking	23.11
Finley, Edward, labor	56.40
Giles, G. H. & Co., supplies	9.65
Gilman, Charles, labor	3.33
Goodwin, Walter, labor	2.22
Goodwin, William, labor	2.22
Greenwood, Ernest, labor	25.00
Greenwood, J. A., labor	22.09
Guertin, Saben, labor	2.22
Haggett, Alvah, labor	10.00
Hatch, Walter, labor	11.11
Heath, C. E., labor	3.06
Heath, Edward, lumber	3.00
Hildreth, S. B., gas	1.03
Himes, E., labor	11.94
Hirtle, S. A., labor	3.89
Israel, Max, lumber	69.00
Jackman, Freeman, gravel	.80
Jones, Harold, labor	3.82

Jordan, James, gravel	10.30
Keaton, Frank, labor	12.50
Kennedy, Warren, labor	99.44
Kimball, F. Everett, labor	13.06
Kinne, George, labor	20.00
Lafleur, Delma, labor	2.22
Lamprey, H., labor	18.53
Lee, Vernon, labor	3.61
Lovering, Ed., filing saw	1.30
Marston, Ernest, labor	121.84
Matthews, E., labor	7.50
Mathews, Wilford, labor	19.17
Miller, George, labor	14.16
Morrill, Anson, labor	44.72
Morrill, L. D., labor	6.14
Morse, Carl, labor	74.17
Muzzey, Kenneth, labor	11.39
Muzzey, Lawrence, labor	59.73
Muzzey, W. H., labor	2.33
Nealson, George, labor	48.61
Nelson, Anton B., labor	13.33
Osborn, H., labor	5.00
Pickard, Arthur, labor	60.00
Pickard, Ernest, labor	20.86
Pickard, Henry, labor	66.53
Pickard, Lawrence, labor	11.95
Pickard, L. J., labor	3.88
Pickard, Oscar, labor	36.39
Pickard, Walter, labor	65.00
Plastridge, A., labor	40.55
Plastridge, Walter, labor	3.40
Pope's Garage, repairs	6.04
Potter, Averill, labor	1.39
Railway Express, parts and charges	8.44
Randall, M. S., gravel	1.90
Randall, M. S., agent	163.99

Rheume, Ezra, labor	13.06
Rollins, C., labor	4.17
Rollins, Oscar, labor	2.78
Rule, Elmer, labor	2.50
Shattuck, Glen, labor	63.61
Simpson, Albert, gravel	4.80
Southwick, Harvey, trucking	30.00
State Highway Garage, snow fence	26.70
Stearns, William, gravel	5.40
Stevens, Norman, labor	2.50
Stone, P., labor	31.39
Streeter, H. S., labor	12.36
Tallman, G. L., labor	328.35
Tallman, W. C., labor	23.94
Tenny, Fred, gravel	22.85
Wentworth, John, labor	32.50
Wheeler, B. G., labor	47.53
	$3,749.20
NOTE—of this amount State paid gas tax	$1,476.90
Town paid	2,272.30

Street Lighting

Concord Electric Co.	$104.00

General Expenses of Highway Dept.

Atkinson's Garage, repairs	$28.90
Benson Auto Co., repairs	25.80
Blanchard, Donald, supplies	2.03
Blanchard, F. H., tires	42.52
B. & M. R. R., freight	2.02
Boutwell Garage, repairs	195.23
Boutwell Lumber Co., lumber	40.56
Cass, Albi, repairs	2.64

Central Petroleum Co., oil	40.01
Chamberlain, E. F., water trough	3.00
Concord Welding Co., repairs	49.20
Crosby Chevrolet Co., truck	618.00
Crosby Chevrolet Co., truck parts and repairs	39.10
Davis, H. C., supplies	41.82
Eisenhauer, L .C., repairs	3.00
Fowler Drug Co., first aid	1.25
Fox, D. Warren, repairs	3.16
Giles, G. H., supplies and repairs	94.16
Graham, J. R., repairs	2.25
Granite State Garage, repairs	85.59
Guilmet, N. & Son, lumber	11.24
Hatch, Walter, sawing wood	.50
Hoagland, C. A., repairs	15.00
Hoyt's Garage, repairs	31.38
Jackman & Lang, insurance	201.29
Labonty's Garage, repairs	1.00
Lamprey, H. N., repairs	1.45
Niles Co., bush cutter	4.50
Page Belting Co., repairs	6.21
Perkins, P. I. Co., repairs	23.10
Pope's Garage, repairs	214.17
Randall, M. S., repairs	33.84
Sanel Auto Co., parts	40.00
Southwick, H. E., repairs	1.50
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	765.05
State Highway Garage, supplies	232.85
Thompson & Hoague, supplies and repairs	159.39
	$3,062.71

Libraries

Appropriation	$250.00

Charities

Town Poor

Blanchard, Donald, hauling flour	$ 4.00
Cronkhite, S. E., acct. Ruth Sargent	110.85
Eldridge, Mrs. M., acct. Ruth Sargent	9.00
Merrimack County Farm, acct. Bernice Sargent	15.45
State Relief Administration:	
acct. Lowell Mason	19.50
acct. Agnes Sargent	15.68
acct. Elsie Sargent	14.20
acct. Ruth Sargent	17.61
State Welfare Dept. acct. Agnes Sargent	2.43
Stone, Mrs. H. L., acct. Agnes Sargent	36.00
Tallman, G. L., transportation	2.00
Woman's Hospital, acct. Agnes Sargent	3.58
	$250.30

County Poor

Blanchard, Donald, transients	$5.00

Patriotic Purposes

American Legion, appropriation	$15.00

Public Service Enterprises

Cemeteries

Childs, Frank, labor	$5.00
Cummings Bros., repairing stones	18.00
Davis, H. C., labor and team	30.55
Fife, Orvil, labor	12.61
Hatch, Walter, labor	5.28

Houser, Joseph M., labor and cement	42.52
Houser, Joseph M. Jr., labor	4.74
Marston, Ernest, labor	15.28
Morrill, L. D., team	1.50
Muzzey, Kenneth, labor	10.91
Pickard, Henry, labor	15.28
Shattuck, Glen, labor	15.28
Tallman, W. C., labor	29.72
	$206.67

Unclassified

Taxes Bought by Town

Lake, S. W., collector	$937.94

Interest Paid by Town

National State Capital Bank, interest on notes	$65.00

New Construction and Improvements

State Aid Construction

Bartlett, Ralph, gravel	$ .80
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	2.02
Boutwell Lumber Co., supplies	2.80
Bradford, F., truck	115.56
Brown Fence Co., fence	9.40
Brunander, E., carpenter	4.14
Cass, Albi, labor	85.14
Childs, Frank, labor	25.56
Concord Lumber Co., supplies	33.97
Davis, H. C., foreman and mileage	161.20
Deos, H., labor	90.66

Doubleday, Joe, labor	18.61
Duquette, Earl, truck	120.89
Fergerson, H., labor	45.56
Fife, Clarence, labor	12.50
Fife, Orville, labor	15.00
Fife, Philander, labor	10.00
Finley, Edward, labor	25.70
Foster, Kenneth, truck	147.63
Greenwood, Joe, labor	50.70
Himes, Elmer, labor	12.50
Kennie, George, labor	10.00
Lamprey, Herbert, labor	50.00
Lee, Vernon, labor	22.50
Marston, Ernest, labor	85.14
Mathews, Wilford, labor	40.00
Muzzey, Lawrence, labor	33.20
Neilson, George, labor	15.00
Pickard, Arthur, labor	25.00
Pickard, Henry, labor	10.00
Pickard, Lenard J., labor	25.83
Pickard, Lawrence, labor	15.00
Pickard, Oscar, labor	11.11
Pickard, Walter, labor	35.83
Plastridge, Arthur, labor	15.00
Rheume, Ezra, labor	45.83
Rogers, Arthur, labor	38.05
Rule, Alfred, truck	79.11
Shattuck, Glen, labor	37.22
Simpson, Albert E., gravel	81.20
Tallman, Lee, labor	71.66
Thompson & Hoague, supplies	26.32
Wentworth, John, labor	22.50
Wheeler, Herbert, labor	10.00
Whitcher, Charles, labor	10.00
	$1,805.84

Received from State for State Aid $1,320.60

The State has reserved $445.20 for oiling this piece of road and the State will do the oiling in 1934.

Emergency Relief Unemployment

Bradford, F., trucking	$155.56
Bradford, Mabel, trucking	179.44
Britton A. H. Co., supplies	11.15
Brunander, E., labor	1.10
Cass, Albi, labor	128.33
Cass, James, trucking	209.78
Childs, Frank, trucking	254.10
Clough, Joe, gravel	68.40
Cummings, John, labor	1.11
Dalrymple, Jason. labor	15.00
Davis, H. C., foreman	328.35
Deos, Henry, labor	115.55
Doubleday, Joe, labor	66.66
Duquette, A., gravel	5.80
Duquette, Earl, trucking	393.88
Ferguson, H., trucking and labor	134.22
Fife, Leon, labor	15.00
Fife, Orville, labor	26.39
Fife, Philander, labor	17.78
Finley, Bernard, trucking	258.44
Finley, Edward, labor	97.49
Gerald, Wm. F., sharpening tools	2.00
Greenwood, Joe, labor	91.10
Guertin, Saben, labor	36.94
Himes, Elmer, labor	78.61
Hirtle, Sterling, labor	38.88
Jordan, James, trucking	325.54
Kennedy, Warren N. labor	92.63
Lamprey, Herbert, labor	64.44
Lawrence, Everett, labor	53.88

Lee, Vernon, labor	98.88
Marston, Ernest, labor	113.88
Mathews, Wilford, labor	83.88
Morrill, Anson, labor	11.11
Neilson, George, labor	26.94
Pickard, Arthur, labor	86.10
Pickard, Henry, labor	63.88
Pickard, Lawrence, labor	72.49
Pickard, Oscar, labor	56.94
Pickard, Walter, labor	6.39
Plastridge, Arthur, labor	86.38
Plastridge, Walter, gravel	88.00
Rheume, Ezra, labor	79.99
Rolfe, C. M. & A. W., supplies	1.95
Rule, Alfred, trucking	273.89
Rule, Elmer, labor	24.44
Sargent, Carl	7.50
Shattuck, Glen, labor	90.83
Simpson, Albert, gravel	128.20
Stevens, Norman, labor	61.38
Tallman, Lee, labor	55.00
Tallman, William, labor	71.16
Tenny, G., gravel	49.20
Thompson & Hoague, dynamite and supplies	124.51
Vennever, Gertrude, gravel	18.50
Wentworth, John, labor	79.16
Wheeler, Bert, labor	47.78
	$5,175.91

Received from State	$5,174.13
Due from State, gas and oil	108.14

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

Houser, Elizabeth, treas., schools	$7,086.27
Shaw, John L. T., county tax	1,337.51

State Treasurer, State tax	1,456.00
	$9,879.78

Summary of Money Received from State and Federal Gov't

Bounties	$14.80
Insurance tax	.04
Interest and dividends	325.87
Railroad tax	178.68
Savings Bank tax	908.69
State Aid Construction	1,320.60
Unemployment Relief Construction from 1932	7.44
Emergency Relief Construction	5,174.13
From Gas tax	1,476.90
	$9,407.15

In addition to the above the Federal Government spent in Canterbury the following

Civil Works Administration:	
Roadside trimming	$1,485.37
Moth control	1,080.00
Road widening	1,775.33
	$4,340.70

J. RALPH GRAHAM,
CHARLES GILMAN,
DONALD BLANCHARD,
Selectmen of Canterbury.

TREASURER'S REPORT

From Feb. 1, 1933 to Feb. 1, 1934

Receipts

Balance in treasury, Feb. 1, 1933	$4,057.47
Sam W. Lake, Collector, property tax	10,621.45
Sam W. Lake, Collector, poll taxes	492.00
Sam W. Lake, Collector, interest	102.93
Sam W. Lake, Collector, abatements	4.00
S. S. Conant, Collector, property tax	21.50
S. S. Conant, Collector, interest	8.50
Selectmen, redeemed taxes	463.20
L. D. Morrill, Clerk, auto permits	545.19
L. D. Morrill, Clerk, dog licenses	141.00
Charles Gilman, Clerk, auto permits	27.75
Charles Gilman, dog licenses	4.00
State of N. H. account of town trucks	200.36
State of N. H. W. R construction	7.44
State of N. H. state aid construction	1,020.60
State of N. H. E. R. unemployment	5,174.13
State of N. H. class 5, highway maintenance	1,476.90
State of N. H. for reimbursement for money expended from State Aid Construction	300.00
State of N. H. forestry department	22.84
State of N. H. bounty on hedgehogs	14.80
State of N. H. interest and dividend tax	325.87
State of N. H. savings bank tax	908.69
State of N. H. railroad tax	178.68
State of N. H. insurance tax	.04
National State Capital Bank, temporary loan	2,000.00
Philip S. Harper, town history	10.00
Bernard Finley, check No. 3541 returned	20.00

Walter Hatch, cemetery grass	5.28
Ernest Greenwood, tractor oil	1.00
G. H. Giles, box boards	.25
To correct town acct. with bank statement	.03
	$28,155.90
Selectmen's orders paid	26,972.05
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1934	1,183.85
	$28,155.90

C. EMERY MORRILL,
Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received, 1933 auto permits	$181.36
Received, 1934 auto permits	363.83
	$545.19
Paid C. Emery Morrill, treasurer	$545.19

Dog Licenses

Received, 3 females	$15.00
Received, 63 males and spayed females	126.00
	$141.00
Paid C. Emery Morrill, treasurer	$141.00
Paid hedgehog bounties, 16, @ 20c.	$3.20

Paid Bounties on Hedgehogs

May 16.	Elmer Rule, 3	.60
July 29.	Harry Patsfield, 1	.20
Oct. 12.	Sternwood Bailey, 4	.80
Oct. 28.	A. Cass, 1	.20
Oct. 28.	Mr. Pickard, 1	.20
Nov. 30.	William Dunbar, 1	.20
Dec. 2.	William Dunbar, 3	.60
Dec. 7.	Donald Sanborn, 1	.20
Dec. 21.	James Patsfield, 1	.20
		$3.20

Respectfully submitted,

L. D. MORRILL,

Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Sam W. Lake, Collector

1931 Taxes

Due Feb. 1, 1933	$306.11
Taxes added	25.00
	$331.11
Paid town treasurer	284.61
Due Feb. 1, 1934	$46.50

1932 Taxes

Due Feb. 1, 1933	$3,981.84
Paid town treasurer	2,440.84
	$1,541.00
Paid town treasurer, interest	$118.87

1933 Taxes

Taxes committed	$12,884.65
Paid town treasurer	8,363.06
	$4,521.59
Paid town treasurer, interest	$8.80

REPORT ON TOWN TRUCKS

Amount Trucks have earned

Federal Truck, S. A. C.	$116.12
Federal Truck, Town Maintenance	399.58
Federal Truck, E. R. U.	115.97
	$631.67
Chevrolet Truck, S. A. C.	$178.75
Chevrolet Truck, Town Maintenance	562.22
Chevrolet Truck, E. R. U.	255.57
	$996.54

Truck Costs

Gas and oil used by trucks	$534.12
Gas and oil used by tractor	270.94
	$805.06

CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCE

Following is the report of the Child Health Conference held in Canterbury, June 21, 1933. This clinic was made possible by the cooperation of the N. H. State Board of Health Division of Child Hygiene and the local Child Health Committee which is made up of representatives of the health, school and civic organizations of the community:

Number of children examined were 15; Births to one year, 7; Defects found, —; Poor posture, 5; Decayed teeth, 7; Umbelical Hernia, 5; Nutritional defects, 8; Web feet (two toes), 1; Enlarged glands, 6; Strabesmus, 2; Adenoids, 1; Bow legs, 3; Discarging ear, 1; Genital defect, 6.

BENEFICIARIES OF MARIA ELKINS FUND

Lowell Mason, medical expense, care	$82.00
Nellie Nudd, care, milk	74.70
R. Rule and family medical expense and clothing	88.54
Mrs. C. M. Rollins, prescriptions	3.81
Peter Costa and family, clothing	40.62
W. A. Kennedy, medical expense, supplies	78.75
Elmer Hines, medical expense	40.00

CECIL E. STEWART,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY, JAN. 31, 1934

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amt. of Principal	Rate of Int.	Bal. of Inc. Begin. Yr.	Income Dur. Yr.	Expended Dur. Yr.	Bal. of Inc. End of Yr.
1873	Benjamin Whidden Fund.....for Cong'l Church.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	$200	3½%		7.00	7.00	
1894	James S. Elkins Fund.....for Cong'l Church.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	1000	3½%		35.00	35.00	
1908	Betsy Kimball Fund.....for care of Dan'l Ham burying gr'd	N. H. Savings Bank...	200	3½%	242.22	14.11	112.50	143.83
1908	Philip C. Clough Fund.....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	50	3½%	20.17	2.29	17.50	4.96
1909	Milton B. Neal Fund.....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	100	3½%	90.83	6.41	28.25	68.99
1911	Emily Clough Fund.....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	200	3½%	231.51	14.79	34.00	212.30
1912	F. E. & G. M. Tallant Fund.....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	50	3½%	21.78	2.42	7.96	16.24
1915	Judith C. Dearborn Fund.....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	50	3½%	26.90	2.59	8.50	20.99
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund.....for care of Jona. Sargent cem. lot..	N. H. Savings Bank...	200	3½%	137.74	11.72	9.50	139.96
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund.....for care of Jas. S. Elkins cem. lot..	N. H. Savings Bank...	200	3½%	131.51	11.33	29.25	113.59
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund.....for books for Elkins Public Library.....	U. S. Government bond	4000	4¼%		170.00	170.00	

1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund..... for repairs on Elkins Public Library.....	U. S. Government bonds.	1000	4¼%		42.50	42.50	
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund..... .....for sick and indigent of the town....	U. S. Government bonds. B. & M. R. R. stock .. B. & M. P. P. stock ..	6850 500 60	4¼%	1660.88	331.67	410.62	1581.93
1921	Henry L. Clough Fund..... for care of D. M. Clough cemetery lot....	N. H. Savings Bank...	50	3½%	24.59	2.47	13.60	13.46
1921	Henry L. Clough Fund..... .....for care of graves of Mrs. D. M. Clough, Mary Tallant and her father.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	50	3½%	27.50	2.61	10.50	19.61
1924	Joseph S. Morrill Fund..... for care of Joseph G. Morrill cemetery.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	100	3½%	61.96	5.46		67.33
1926	Walter Small Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	100	3½%	35.27	4.66	7.56	32.37
1926	Alvah J. Dearborn Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	50	3½%	14.33	2.15	9.50	6.98
1927	Samuel K. Boyce Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	100	3½%	29.39	4.46	5.65	28.20
1929	Elkins Public Library Fund..... .....Book Fund.....	N. H. Savings Bank...	1000	3½%		35.00	35.00	
1930	Helen C. Ingalls Paxton Fund ....for care of John Ingalls cem. lot in Maple Grove cemetery	N. H. Savings Bank ...	50	3½%	2.12	1.82		3.94
1931	Jeremiah F. Clough Fund ....for care of cemetery lot	N. H. Savings Bank ...	200	3½%	10.44	7.35		17.79

CECIL E. STEWART, *Treasurer.*

ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Report of Treasurer

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1933	$1,555.05	
Total receipts	540.90	
Total payments		$444.60
Balance on hand		1,651.35
	$2,095.95	$2,095.95
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934	$1,651.35	

Building and Grounds Account

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1933	$1.72	
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934	1.72	

Repairs Account

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1933	$532.06	
Interest	60.73	
Winter flagging for steps		$35.00
Labor on library		16.05
Material		4.10
Balance on hand		537.64
	$592.79	$592.79
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934	$537.64	

Books and Supplies Account

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1933	$967.97	
Interest	230.17	
Town appropriation	50.00	
Books		108.97

Magazines		33.00
Supplies		5.00
Balance on hand		1,101.17
	$1,248.14	$1,248.14
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934	$1,101.17	

Operating Account

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1933	$53.30	
Town appropriation	200.00	
Fuel		$5.00
Lighting		12.00
Labor on lawn, walks, etc.		39.05
Grass seed		4.20
Rent of flower slides		1.50
Supplies		19.45
Librarian's salary		160.40
Tax on checks		.88
Balance on hand		10.82
	253.30	$253.30
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934	$10.82	

ELKINS' LIBRARY REPORT

Number of books in the library	3,118
Number of books added by purchase	91
Number of books added by gift	40

There are still some books in the hands of the book committee that were purchased in 1933 that have not come into the library yet.

Number of books loaned during the year	3,436
Number of magazines loaned during the year	2,410

The library is indebted to Mr. Benj. K. Ayers for a number of bound volumes of the Granite Monthly; four bound volumes of the New England Magazine; a number of copies of the Atlantic Monthly not bound. The exact number is not known as they have not all been put into the library as yet.

Mr. Freeman Jackman delivered at the librarian's door one day last summer a gift of books for the library. Among them a number of mystery stories—just what the men folks had been calling for for some time.

Other gifts were from—"A Friend", Mrs. A. B. Chute, Mrs. F. Bradford.

Gifts direct from the publishers—Manchankno Child of Conflict by K. K. Hawakami; Samuel Seabury, A Challenge by Walter Chambers.

Many of the children took part in the wild flower contest last summer.

CATHERINE HOUSER,
Librarian.

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

Februrary 1, 1934

School Board

Amy A. Scales, Chairman	Term Expires March, 1935
Herman R. Colby	Term Expires March, 1936

District Officers

Eric W. Bascom, Moderator
Ervin A. Cogswell, Clerk
Elizabeth F. Houser, Treasurer
Julia W. Conont, Laura B. Clough, Auditors

Superintendent of Schools

George W. Sumner

Office in Penacook at Main Street School, rear entrance. Office is open on all school days from 8:00 to 12:00. Appointments for conference with the Superintendent can be made through the Secretary. N. E. Phone 48. Claire V. Breckell, Secretary.

Truant Officer

Gordon L. Tallman

Teachers

Kathleen A. Degnan	Blanchard
Esther Woodward Goodwin	Carter
Elizabeth F. Houser	Carter
Sarah A. Stone	Kezer
Ervin A. Cogswell	Uplands

School Nurse

Ruth B. Whitcomb, R. N.
97 North State Street
Concord, New Hampshire
N. E. Phone 339-R

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School district of the town of Canterbury qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14th day of April 1934, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will raise and appropriate seventy-five dollars ($75.00) for expenses of administration.

10. To see if the district will authorize the school board to contract with high schools and academies for tuition in excess of the average cost of instruction per pupil.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Canterbury this 3rd day of March, 1934.

AMY A. SCALES,
H. R. COLBY,
School Board.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1934-1935

School District of Canterbury

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1934.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Elementary Schools:

Teachers' Salaries	$4,090.00	
Text Books and Scholars' Supplies	225.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	3.00	
Other expenses of Instruction	20.00	
Janitor Service	135.00	
Fuel	172.50	
Janitors' Supplies	30.00	
Minor repairs and Expenses	125.00	
Health Supervision (Medical Inspec.)	158.93	
Transportation of Pupils	585.00	
		$5,544.43

Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District)	$115.00
Truant Officer and school census (Fixed by District)	25.00
Payment of Tuitions in High Schools and Academies (Estimated by Board)	2,000.00
Superintendent's salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)	149.48

Per Capita Tax (Reported by State Treasurer)	238.00	
		$2,527.48
Total Amount Required to meet School Board's Budget		$8,071.91

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1934 (estimate)	$400.00	
State Aid (Dec. 1934 Allotment)	1,337.32	
Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation)		$1,737.32
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		$6,334.59
Special Appropriation Proposed (Articles in Warrant) Expenses of Adm.	75.00	
		75.00
Total Assessment Required to Cover Budget and Appropriations		$6,409.59

AMY A. SCALES,
H. R. COLBY,

School Board.

Canterbury, N. H., March 3, 1934

RECEIPTS JULY 1, 1932 TO JUNE 30, 1933

From State:	
Equalization (state aid)	$1,280.64
From the Selectmen, raised by taxation:	
Assessment required to meet school board's budget	7,186.27
From Sources Other Than Taxation:	
High School Tuition Rebate	13.70
Total receipts from all sources	$8,480.61
Cash on hand, July 1, 1932	685.76
GRAND TOTAL	$9,166.37

PAYMENTS JULY 1, 1932 TO JUNE 30, 1933

Administration:			
1.	Salaries of district officers	$115.00	
2.	Superintendent's salary	255.42	
3.	Truant officer and school census	21.80	
4.	Expenses of administration	132.28	
			$524.50
Instruction:			
5.	Principals' and teachers' salaries	$4,090.00	
6.	Textbooks	88.51	
7.	Scholars' supplies	76.03	
8.	Flags and appurtenances	5.58	
9.	Other expenses of instruction	39.74	
			$4,299.86

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:			
10.	Janitor service	$135.00	
11.	Fuel	161.37	
12.	Water, light and janitors' supplies	40.35	
13.	Minor repairs and expenses	177.39	
			$514.11
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:			
14.	Medical inspection	$160.92	
15.	Transportation of pupils	549.50	
16.	High school and academy tuition	1,993.72	
18.	Other special activities	1.12	
			$2,705.26
Fixed Charges:			
19.	Tax for state wide supervision		$222.00
Outlay for Construction and Equipment:			
22.	Alterations of old buildings	$114.70	
23.	New equipment	3.85	
			$118.55
	Total payments for all purposes		$8,384.28
	Total cash on hand, June 30, 1933		782.09
			$9,166.37

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

1. Salaries of District Officers

Charles O. Thurston	$30.00	
Amy A. Scales	30.00	
Frank L. Brown	30.00	
Elizabeth F. Houser	25.00	
		115.00

2. Superintent's Salary

Ida H. Hill, treasurer		$255.42

3. Truant Officer and School Census

Amy A. Scales	$15.00	
Penacook Union School District	1.30	
G. L. Tallman	5.50	
		$21.80

4. Expenses of Administration

Elizabeth F. Houser	$13.61	
Edson C. Eastman Co.	23.25	
Laura B. Clough	2.00	
Amy A. Scales	.90	
Penacook Union School District	92.52	
		$132.28

5. Principals' and Teachers' Salaries

Kathleen A. Degnan	$850.00	
Esther Woodward	810.00	
Elizabeth F. Houser	810.00	
Sarah A. Stone	810.00	
Ervin A. Cogswell	810.00	
		$4,090.00

6. Textbooks

Scott, Foresman & Co.	$3.05
J. B. Lippincott Co.	5.64
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	3.12
Ginn and Company	43.12
Little, Brown & Co.	10.14
The Macmillan Co.	4.95
D. C. Heath & Co.	1.15

Penacook Union School District	.18	
American Book Company	4.85	
Row, Peterson & Co.	5.03	
John C. Winston Co.	7.28	
		$88.51

7. Scholars' Supplies

Penacook Union School District	$75.78	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	.25	
		$76.03

8. Flags and Appurtenances

Edward E. Babb & Co.	$5.58

9. Other Expenses of Administration

Edward E. Babb & Co.	$32.21	
Penacook Union School District	7.53	
		$39.74

10. Janitor Service

Kathleen A. Degnan	$27.00	
Elizabeth F. Houser	27.00	
Sarah A. Stone	27.00	
Ervin A. Cogswell	27.00	
William Dunbar	27.00	
		$135.00

11. Fuel

George Peverly	$45.00	
C. O. Thurston	36.00	
David Clough	58.50	
Charles W. Hill	4.00	
Leroy Glines	17.87	
		$161.37

12. Water, Light and Janitor's Supplies

Orion H. Hardy	$ .35	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	14.62	
Penacook Union School District	25.38	
		$40.35

13. Minor Repairs and Expenses

Elmer B. Osgood, treasurer	$70.00	
Charles O. Thurston	2.75	
Mrs. Oscar Rollins	2.50	
Nellie Rollins	5.50	
Harold Ferguson	3.00	
Charles W. Hill	8.00	
Leon A. Brown	31.50	
Johanson Bros.	16.00	
E. Brunander	26.45	
D. Warren Fox	.85	
Ford Foundry Co.	4.34	
L. C. Eisenhaur	6.00	
Philip Stone	.50	
		$177.39

14. Medical Inspection

Ruth B. Whitcomb, R. N.	160.92

15. Transportation of Pupils

Herman R. Colby	$432.50	
James Jordan	117.00	
		$549.50

16. High School and Academy Tuition

Union School District	$961.69	
Penacook Union School District	942.24	
Henniker School District	89.79	
		$1,993.72

18. Other Special Activities

Penacook Union School Dist.	$1.12

19. Per Capita Tax

Chas. T. Patten, Treasurer	$222.00

22. Alterations of Old Buildings

Johnanson Bros.	$85.30	
Concord Lumber Co.	29.40	
		$114.70

23. New Equipment

Fowler Drug Comany	$3.85

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

Receipts

1932		
July 1.	Balance on hand	$685.76
Dec. 27.	State equalization fund	1,216.57
1933		
Mar. 14.	Rebate on tuition for Dorothy Stewart	13.70
May 22.	Balance State equalization fund	64.07
	Orders on town treasurer	7,186.27
		$9,166.37

Expenditures

	Orders issued by School Board	$8,384.28
1933		
June 30.	Balance on hand	782.09
		$9,166.37

ELIZABETH F. HOUSER,
Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Canterbury which is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, and find them correct in all respects.

JULIA W. CONANT,
LAURA B. CLOUGH,
Auditors.

July 14, 1933

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens:

The enlarging of our Supervisory Union to include seven school districts and the decision of most of these districts to provide no clerical assistance for the Superintendent has changed considerably the scope of my work. I am less familiar with the financial aspects of the situation and with the general administration of the affairs of the district.

Outside the cities, only twelve unions have more than our forty-five teachers, only nine have more than our nearly twelve hundred school children, and only three have more than our seven towns.

Becoming acquainted with the schools of three new towns and handling details connected with federal and state emergency measures have added to the ordinary work of the office. With growing acquaintance and with more settled conditions the Union is probably not too large for the accomplishment of satisfactory work.

The constant shifting of population effects frequent changes in the size of individual schools. While the Center School had an average membership of 33.07 in 1931-32 and 29.74 in 1932-33, it has only 19 pupils at the present time. The Carter with a membership of 22 is just now the largest school in town. The Blanchard which was largest in 1929-30 and in several other years, now stands third, and the Uplands third in 1928-29 is now the smallest school, though it membership has increased nearly 75 per cent since 1931-32.

The number of Canterbury children attending high school (29), has never been so large as this year. This year for the first time Union School District of Concord is making a charge for high school tuition higher than the School

Board can pay without definite authorization by vote of the school district. If the district at the coming meeting fails to authorize payment in full, parents who are not able to pay a part of the tuition will be limited in their choice of high schools to those whose tuition charge does not exceed the amount for which the district is liable. To give children of the rich and poor equal opportunities is the ideal toward which public education has been struggling. I trust that that ideal will not be repudiated by your vote.

The School Board's Estimate for 1934-35 compares with their estimate for 1933-34, published in last year's report, as follows:

	1933-34	1934-35
Support of Elem. Schools	$5,590.92	$5,544.43
Salaries of Dist. Officer	115.00	115.00
Truant Officer and School Census	25.00	25.00
High School Tuition	2,300.00	2,000.00
Superintendent's Salary	255.42	149.48
Per Capita Tax	256.00	238.00
Other Expenses of Administration	75.00	75.00
	$8,617.34	$8,146.91

Income

State Aid	$1,407.40	1,337.32	
Estimated Balance	700.00	400.00	
	2,107.40		1,737.32
Total to be raised	$6,509.94		$6,409.59

You will note that the estimated total expenditures for the coming year are $470.43 less than last year. The estimated income, however, is $370.08 less than last year, the State Aid being 70.08 less and the estimated balance on June 30, 1934, $300.00 less. The total recommended to be raised is thus $100.35 less than last year's recommendation.

	1932-33	1933-34	1934-35
Budget for Elem. schools	$6,141.00	$5,590.92	$5,544.43
State Aid	1,661.08	1,407.40	1,337.32
To be raised for Elem. schools	$4,479.92	$4,183.52	$4,207.11
$5.00 Tax	4,433.22	4,118.97	4,118.97
Excess above $5.00 Tax	46.70	$64.55	$88.14

If, under Article 10 of the School Warrant, the district authorizes the school board to pay a higher tuition rate for the current year, the added cost for the children attending Concord High School will be a little over $100. Unless additional money is provided, this may reduce our balance on June 30, 1934 to $300 and cause a small deficit in June 1935.

Respectfuly submitted,

GEORGE W. SUMNER.

ROLL OF HONOR

Pupils not absent or tardy for school year ending June, 1933

John C. Finlay	Uplands
Charles Gilman	Blanchard
Donald C. Marston	Center
Lola E. Mathews	Center
Margaret Rheaume	Blanchard
Thomas H. Shattuck	Center

GRADUATES FROM EIGHTH GRADE, JUNE, 1933

Mary J. Briggs	Center
Edward Davis	Kezer
David Farnsworth	Kezer
Donald C. Marston	Center
Warren F. Mooney	Uplands
Ellen F. Nelson	Carter
Elizabeth Pickard	Kezer
Emery E. Rule	Center
Alice L. Shattuck	Center
Anna M. Wyatt	Carter

PUPILS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS
FALL TERM, 1933

Concord High School

Walter Goodwin	Catherine Jackman
William Goodwin	Dorothy Jackman
Colin Heath	Robert Maxson
Margery Heath	Ellen Nelson
Lucian Hildreth	Flora Rogers

Henniker High School

Louise Rollins

Penacook High School

Millicent Bolton
Richard Bolton
Freda Bradford
Mary Briggs
Pauline Briggs
Clara Brown
Murray Brown
Edward Davis
Marguerite Jordon
Pearle Jordan
Warren Mooney
Ezra Rheaume
Madeline Rheaume
Henry Rogers
Alice Shattuck
Dorothy Stewart
Mary Stone
Naomi Wentworth

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter term of 11 weeks opened	Monday, Jan. 8, 1934
Winter term closes	Friday, March 23, 1934
Vacation two weeks	
Spring term of 10 weeks opens	Monday, April 9, 1934
Spring term closes	Friday, June 15, 1934
Summer vacation	
Fall term of 15 weeks opens	Monday, Sept. 10, 1934
Fall term closes	Friday, Dec. 21, 1934
Vacation two weeks	
Winter term of 11 weeks opens	Monday, Jan. 7, 1935
Winter term closes	Friday, March 22, 1935
Vacation two weeks	
Spring term of 10 weeks opens	Monday, April 8, 1935
Spring term closes	Friday, June 14, 1935

Schools will be closed on Memorial Day, Thanksgiving Day and the day after.

ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1933

SCHOOLS	Length of school in weeks	Whole No. different pupils registered			Average attendance	Average absense	Average membership	Per cent of attendance	No. of cases of tardiness	No. of visits by Superintendent	No. of visits by School Nurse	No. of visits by School Board	No. of visits by Others	No. of pupils not absent or tardy
		Total	Boys	Girls										
Blanchard	36	16	6	10	14.04	.93	14.97	93.78	39	17	5	2	19	2
Carter	36	20	8	12	16.72	2.19	18.91	88.42	93	19	3	1	82	0
Center	36	30	18	12	27.00	2.74	29.74	90.00	70	17	3	1	70	3
Kezer	36	16	13	3	10.34	1.38	12.72	84.54	82	17	5	2	43	0
Uplands	36	12	7	5	9.59	1.07	10.67	89.90	56	15	5	2	15	1
Entire District	36	94	52	42	77.73	8.33	86.06	90.31	340	85	21	8	229	6

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Canterbury for the year ending December 31, 1933

Date of birth	Place of birth	Name of Child (if any)	Liv'g or stillb'n	Sex	No. of child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother	Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1933													
Jan. 30	Concord	Jean Beverly	F	L	2	W	H. Clifford Davis	Edith McElroy	All White	Canterbury	Farmer	Canterbury	Scotland
Mar. 24	Canterbury	Rena Ethel	F	L	6	W	Herb't N. Lamprey	Ethel M. Burleigh		Canterbury	Laborer	Laconia	Tilton
April 9	Concord	Shirley Theresa	F	L	1	W	Raymond O. Fife	Adeline Shattuck		Canterbury	Laborer	Bridgewater,Vt.	Penacook
Apr. 21	Concord	Paul Frost	M	L	5	W	Eric W. Bascom	Elida G. Frost		Canterbury	Clergyman	Langdon	Worcester, Vt.
May 1	Canterbury	Evelyn May	F	L	5	W	Geo. G. Kinne	Glendora Stewart		Canterbury	Laborer	Groton	Loudon
June 3	Belmont	Carolyn Ruth	F	L	3	W	Lawrence Muzzey	Lettie Haggett		Canterbury	Laborer	Canterbury	E. Northfield
July 19	Canterbury	Robert Malcolm	M	L	3	W	Olaf E. Wells	Ada L. Davis		Canterbury	Farmer	Sackville, N. B.	Camden, Me.
Oct. 7	Canterbury	Charles Henry Jr.	M	L	7	W	Arthur E. Pickard	Jennie E. Sargent		Canterbury	Laborer	Canterbury	Canterbury
1776													
Aug. 24	Canterbury	John Kezar	M		1	W	Edmund Kezar	Mary Lyford		Taken from old Bible record reported by Charlotte O. Sanborn. Recorded on Page 85½, Vol. 1, Births, Marriages and Deaths, Aug. 19, 1933.			
1778													
Apr. 7	Canterbury	Lydia Kezar	F		2	W	Edmund Kezar	Mary Lyford					
1780													
Apr. 12	Canterbury	Edmund Kezar, Jr.	M		3	W	Edmund Kezar	Mary Lyford					
1783													
Dec. 14	Canterbury	Asa Kezar	M		4	W	Edmund Kezar	Mary Lyford					

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Marriages Registered in the Town of Canterbury for the year ending December 31, 1933

Date	Place of Marriage	Name & Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. marriage	Name, residence and Official Station of Persons by whom married
Feb. 9	Franklin	Frank H. Dearborn	Boscawen	49	W	Laborer	Hopkinton				2W	Lester E. Alexander Clergyman
		Gladys Sargent	Canterbury	24	W	At home	Canterbury	F. Scott Sargent	E. Concord	Laborer	1	Franklin
								Florence Ordway	Loudon	Housewife		
Mar. 18	Canterbury	Raymond O. Fife	Canterbury	21	W	Laborer	Bridegwater, Vt.	Philander A. Fife	Pembroke	Laborer	1	Eric W. Bascom
								Sadie Aldrich	Suncook	Housewife		Minister & J. P.
		Adeline Shattuck	Canterbury	16	W	At home	Penacook	Glen Shattuck	Pittsfield	Laborer	1	Canterbury
								Laura Wood	W. Henniker	Housewife		
May 25	Goffstown	Fred F. Berry	Goffstown	63	W	Salesman	Holderness	Samuel B. Berry	N. H.		3 D	Chas. E. Hammond
								Emma Leach	So. Tamworth			Justice of Peace
		Estella A. Hirtle	Canterbury	18	W	At home	Canterbury	Sterling A. Hirtle	Nova Scotia	Farmer	1	Manchester
								Bertha A. Grover	Canterbury	Housewife		
June 3	Canterbury	Reginald Porter	Camb'dge, Ms	28	W	Bank clerk	Medford, Mass.	Geo. J. Porter	Medford, Mass.	Architect	1	Rev. D. W. Hadley
								Julia Marvin	Medford, Mass.	Retired		Winchester, Mass.
		Eleanor Stearns	Canterbury	26	W	At home	Winchester, Mass.	Wm. Stearns	Needham, Mass.	Retired	1	Assisted by
								Ethel Blanchard	Concord	Housewife		E. W. Bascom, Min-
Oct. 6	Penacook	Harold Wentworth	Canterbury	19	W	Mill worker	Manchester	John Wentworth	Milton Mills	Farmer	1	ister, Canterbury
								Grace Weightman	N. Y.	Housewife		Rev. G. S. Campbell
		Evelyn E. Monroe	Concord	20	W	At home	Concord	Albert Monroe	Canada	Sone cutter	1	Clergyman
								Maude Durgin	Canada	Housewife		Wilmot

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Canterbury for the year ending December 31, 1933

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex & Cond.			Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days		Sex	Color	Single, Mar. Wid.		Father	Mother		
April 1	Canterbury	Mary Etta Andrews	89	8	15	Hooksett	F	W	W	Retired	Hooksett	Loudon	James McAustin	Sarah B. Lovering
Apr. 7	Canterbury	Nellie O. Davis	55	3	28	Sanbornton	F	W	M	Housewife			Hazen Philbrook	Mary Bean
May 3	Concord	Daisy Ella Cook	60	9	21	Providence,R.I.	F	W	S	Housekeeper			George Cook	Harriet Winslow
June 4	Canterbury	Ira Swett Holmes	79		15	Salisbury	M	W	M	Retired			Leonard Holmes	Savala Swett
Aug. 22	Whitman, Mass.	Wm. D. Paxton	76	2	15		M							
Aug. 25	Canterbury	Alphonse B. Chute	78	6	9	Effingham,Me	M	W	M	Farmer	Otisfield, Me.		Albin Chute	Corinda Philbrook
Sept. 12	Canterbury	Charles O. Thurston	76	6	19	Barre, Vt.	M	W	M	Teacher			Wilson Thurston	Frances Kinney
Oct. 16	Camb'dge, Mass.	Jane McElroy	49				F	W						
Oct. 28	Canterbury	Elmer Morton Robie	72	4	8	Chester	M	W	W	Meat cutter	Chester	Vermont	John A. Robie	Rachel Nelson
Dec. 1	Concord	Laura B. Clough	57	10	25	Wyoming	F	W	M	Housewife		Germany	Buehler	Emma Ruderdoff

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